

A copy of the said account settled with said H. Ford Purser and signed by him I herewith annex to this my deposition declaiming the same in the original ~~as~~ herein referred to as voucher No 3 upon my own claims, as being in words and figures and without alterations the same as signed in my presence and delivered to me by said Ford. I further depose and say that to the best of my knowledge and belief, the said loan could not have been obtained at the time of any other than the said Swartout. And that without such loan the said Schooner Brutus must have been sold under a decree of the District Court, and the Government and People of Texas deeply injured. And that the sum of Four thousand and ninety two $\frac{5}{100}$ with Interest and damages is justly due from the Republic of Texas to the said Samuel Swartout.

In witness whereof I have hereunto signed this deposition at the city of New York this tenth day November A.D. One thousand eight hundred & forty eight

Samuel Ellis

The deponent would also refer to vouchers No 9 & 10, submitted with his claim upon the Government, as the recognition of the said Government of his proceedings in the premises.

Sawn to before me the 105 day of November 1848. S.

November 1848. S.

C. E. Kendrick

Comm^r of Deeds
for Texas in New York